

Illinois, Mr. RIVERA, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. HIGGINS, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. MURPHY of Connecticut, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, and Mr. MEEKS):

H.R. 3855. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to modify the requirements of the visa waiver program and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SOUTHERLAND (for himself, Mr. ROSS of Florida, Mr. RIVERA, Mr. WEST, Mrs. ADAMS, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. ROONEY, Mr. BUCHANAN, and Mr. WEBSTER):

H.R. 3856. A bill to limit the authority of the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency with respect to certain numeric nutrient criteria, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. TURNER of New York (for himself, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. ROGERS of Alabama, and Mr. GRIMM):

H.R. 3857. A bill to amend the Implementing Recommendations of the 9/11 Commission Act of 2007 to require the Secretary of Homeland Security to include as an eligible use the sustainment of specialized operational teams used by local law enforcement under the Transit Security Grant Program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security.

By Mr. VAN HOLLEN (for himself, Mr. CUMMINGS, Ms. NORTON, Ms. EDWARDS, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. REYES, and Mr. LUJÁN):

H.R. 3858. A bill to provide that Members of Congress shall not receive a cost of living adjustment in pay during 2013; to the Committee on House Administration, and in addition to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Ms. JENKINS (for herself, Mr. PAUL, Mrs. BLACK, Mrs. HARTZLER, Mr. YODER, Mr. HULTGREN, Mr. AKIN, Mr. SCHILLING, Mr. JONES, Mr. HERGER, and Mr. GOSAR):

H. Con. Res. 98. Concurrent resolution to express the sense of the Congress that any Executive order that infringes on the powers and duties of the Congress under article I, section 8 of the Constitution, or that would require the expenditure of Federal funds not specifically appropriated for the purpose of the Executive order, is advisory only and has no force or effect unless enacted as law; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. ISRAEL (for himself, Mr. NEAL, Mr. HIGGINS, Mr. CARNAHAN, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. ENGEL, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. KING of New York, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Mr. REED, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. SABLON, Mr. BACA, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Ms. RICHARDSON, Ms. SPEIER, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. PIERLUISI, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. HINCHAY, Mr. TURNER of New York, Mr. ACKERMAN, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mrs. LOWEY, Ms. BORDALLO, Mr. FALBOMAVAEGA, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. NADLER, Mr. COHEN, Mr. COOPER, and Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts):

H. Res. 531. A resolution recognizing the 40th anniversary of the National Cancer Act of 1971 and the more than 12,000,000 survivors of cancer alive today because of the commitment of the United States to cancer research and advances in cancer prevention, detec-

tion, diagnosis, and treatment; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

## CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the rules of the House of Representatives, the following statements are submitted regarding the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

By Mr. MICA:

H.R. 7.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution, specifically Clause 1, Clause 3, Clause 7, and Clause 18.

By Mr. CARNEY:

H.R. 3839.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 18

The Congress shall have Power \*\*\* To make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by the Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof.

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3

The Congress shall have Power \*\*\* To regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes.

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1

The Congress shall have Power to lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the Debts and provide for the common Defence and general Welfare of the United States; but all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States.

By Mr. STARK:

H.R. 3840.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 1 of the Constitution.

By Ms. WATERS:

H.R. 3841.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the Constitution of the United States.

By Mrs. BLACK:

H.R. 3842.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 9, Clause 7.

By Mr. BERMAN:

H.R. 3843.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is introduced pursuant to the authority delineated in Article I section 1, which includes an implied power for the Congress to regulate the conduct of the United States with respect to foreign affairs.

By Mrs. ROBY:

H.R. 3844.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The constitutional authority on which this bill rests is the power of Congress in regards to appropriations, as enumerated in Article I, Section 7, Clause 1, Article I, Section 8, Clause 1, and Article 1, Section 9 of the United States Constitution.

Article I, Section 7, Clause 1 (Bills of Revenue):

“All Bills for raising Revenue shall originate in the House of Representatives; but the Senate may propose or concur with Amendments as on other Bills.”

Article I, Section 8 (Enumerated Powers of Congress):

“The Congress shall have power To lay and collect Taxes, Duties, Imposts and Excises, to pay the Debts and provide for the common defence and general Welfare of the United States; but all Duties, Imposts and Excises shall be uniform throughout the United States.”

Article I, Section 9 (Limits on Congress):

“No Money shall be drawn from the Treasury, but in Consequence of Appropriations made by Law; and a regular Statement and Account of Receipts and Expenditures of all public Money shall be published from time to time.”

By Mr. POLIS:

H.R. 3845.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 1,

All legislative Powers herein granted shall be vested in a Congress of the United States, which shall consist of a Senate and House of Representatives.

By Mr. BLUMENAUER:

H.R. 3846.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 4 of the Constitution of the United States.

By Mr. MARKEY:

H.R. 3847.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Clause 3 of section 8 or article I of the Constitution

By Mr. DESJARLAIS:

H.R. 3848.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

clause 7 of section 9 of Article I and clause 18 of section 8 of Article I of the Constitution

By Mr. FINCHER:

H.R. 3849.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8.

By Mr. GRAVES of Missouri:

H.R. 3850.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The Congress enacts this bill pursuant to Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article I of the United States Constitution, which provides Congress with the ability to enact legislation necessary and proper to effectuate its purposes in taxing and spending.

By Mr. GRAVES of Missouri:

H.R. 3851.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The Congress enacts this bill pursuant to Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article I of the United States Constitution, which provides Congress with the ability to enact legislation necessary and proper to effectuate its purposes in taxing and spending.

By Mr. HASTINGS of Florida:

H.R. 3852.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the Constitution of the United States, including but not limited to Amendment XVI, Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article I, and Clause 3 of Section 8 of Article 1.

By Mr. LYNCH:

H.R. 3853.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 3—the Commerce Clause—and Article I, Section 8, Clause 18—the Necessary and Proper Clause—of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. PETERS:

H.R. 3854.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following: